

## Polish aeromedical evac team visits Ramstein

by **Airman 1st Class Trevor Rhynes**  
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**T**eam Ramstein's 86th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron got an opportunity to show its mission to another allied Air Force this week.

A six-person team, made up of two doctors, two nurses and two paramedics from the Polish 8th Air Base in Krakow visited Ramstein in order to get an overview of how the U.S. Air Force's AE process works, so they can provide better oversight in setting up their own AE mission.

The tour included visits to see a C-21 in its AE configuration, to see patients loaded into a C-17 Globemaster III, a visit to Landstuhl Regional Medical Center and an AE flight training mission.

"The polish team was very open minded, eager to learn and was very impressed with how we perform our mission," said Tech. Sgt. Elizabeth Araujo with the 86th AES, who served as the interpreter for the visit. "They are the first Polish AE crew, so they have to be this involved in order to set up their own rules and regulations."

The first AE team has a large mission to perform. "Currently, the Polish AE mission is carried out by the six personnel who came on this visit," said Kapitan Marcin Kura, a doctor on the Polish AE team. "We manage everything from fielding a call about a patient, to providing care and



Photo by Senior Airman Aaron-Forrest Wainwright

*Flightline medics move wounded warriors off of a C-17 Globemaster III Wednesday on Ramstein. A Polish 8th Air Base Aeromedical Evacuation team came to Ramstein to learn how Contingency Aeromedical Staging Facility personnel move wounded warriors out of the battlefield.*

transportation, to unloading patients."

The Polish team looked forward to this trip, saying that it also strengthens their alliance with the U.S.

"This trip was very beneficial," said Major

Zhigniew Maciol, the head doctor for the Polish team. "Now, we have contacts who can provide support and open the door for our side to become more familiar with the AE mission that we provide as a NATO contribution."

## 21st TSC commander nominated for appointment to rank of major general

*The U.S. president nominated Brig. Gen. Aundre F. Piggee for appointment to the rank of major general. Piggee assumed command of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command on Aug. 25.*



by **21st TSC Public Affairs**

**T**he U.S. president nominated the commander of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command for appointment to the rank of major general, the Defense Department announced Tuesday.

Brig. Gen. Aundre F. Piggee, a native of Stamps, Ark., assumed command of the 21st TSC Aug. 25 in Kaiserslautern.

A graduate of the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, Piggee

served in Germany from January 1986 to April 1988 as a direct support maintenance officer and commander of the 77th Maintenance Company, both in the 85th Maintenance Battalion, V Corps, respectively.

His previous duty assignments include plans officer, G3, 13th Corps Support Command and III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas, in 1994 and 1995.

Piggee's deployments include commander of the 15th Forward Support Bn., 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas, during Operation

Joint Forge, Bosnia-Herzegovina from 1998 to 2000 and commander of the 15th Sustainment Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas, during Operation Iraqi Freedom, between June 2005 and February 2008.

Piggee served as deputy assistant chief of staff, C4 and assistant chief of staff, J4, at the United Nations Command/Combined Forces Command and U.S. Forces Korea from September 2009 to August 2011 before assuming command of the 21st TSC.

### TIP OF THE WEEK

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# Our family, our community, our mission

by Col. David Haase

86th Logistics Readiness Group commander

After a busy holiday season, many of us are looking forward to the challenges and opportunities a new year offers. That makes this a great time to take a few moments to think about how you can support our military families by making the KMC an even better place to live, work and play.

When we talk about mission success, we must talk about the family, key spouse networks, sponsors, volunteers and many other contributors. Simply put, the support our family receives from the community is just as important as the formal command programs that focus on our military members. Below are a few examples of individuals who help build a community that supports military families and results in motivated and focused Airmen ready to accomplish the mission.

Just 10 months into his Air Force career, Airman 1st Class Zach Bach, a knowledge management operator for the logistics readiness group, has volunteered in support of no less than 12 organizations and contributed nearly 600 hours of community service. From serving as an assistant scout master with the Boy Scouts to supporting Project Rudolph and Armed Forces Against Drunk Driving, he makes a difference each and every day.

Senior Master Sgt. Eric Jensen, 86th Vehicle

Readiness Squadron vehicle management flight chief, leads a team of 244 vehicle maintainers who have the huge job of keeping Team Ramstein's nearly 1,900 vehicles mission ready. Despite his demanding work schedule, he finds time to support Special Olympics as a translator, reception coordinator and participant "buddy." Just last month, when the 86th Airlift Wing needed a leader to step up to help plan the annual awards ceremony, Jensen answered the call. This leader makes a difference in our community by supporting our Airmen, our mission and our families.

Maj. Ken Benton is commander of the 86th Munitions Squadron, but he and his wife Tobi believe command is a team effort. They know the best way to make the mission happen is to focus on people and families first. Tobi plays a critical role in this plan. Creating and maintaining an active key spouse program is only one example of their unified approach.

Benton recognized the importance of this commander's program and gave it his highest level of attention and support from day one, but at the same time Tobi knew a key spouse program might need a spouse's perspective. She attended the four-hour key spouse training course at the Airmen & Family Readiness Center and has willingly taken on the role of key spouse mentor.

In addition to focusing on the needs of the unit's deployed families, the Bentons also hoped

the key spouse program could impact spouses and families that are making the 86th Munitions Squadron their first Air Force home after technical training. Keeping this in mind, Tobi created a spouse welcome letter that is sent by the sponsor to every married member assigned to the unit. The letter is full of helpful information and provides a link to the squadron spouses' Facebook page. This allows new spouses to connect with other unit spouses and lay the groundwork for a smooth transition before they even arrive. The 86th MUNS currently has two superstar key spouses: AJ Haro-Bousa and Sonta Lafferty, who together perform two critical tasks. First, they ensure families of deployed members are contacted, connected and cared for. Second, they maintain the Facebook page and make sure it's up to date with all the latest unit and KMC info.

With the constant stressors of military life, we need a community that is responsive enough to support a very diverse group of Airmen and their families. While no single person can do it all, we can each make a difference for ourselves, our families and our communities. It is about everyone making a contribution to support our invaluable military families who work hard every day to ensure their Airmen are ready to accomplish the mission.

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# Surgeon general visits 86th MDG Airmen, talks about mission focus

by **Airman 1st Class Kendra M. Alba**  
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Lt. Gen. Charles B. Green, Air Force Surgeon General, and Chief Master Sgt. Charles Cole, Chief of Medical Enlisted Force, visited the 86th Medical Group at Ramstein Monday.

During their visit, Green and Cole spoke with Airmen and toured various offices within the 86th MDG and saw first-hand their mission capabilities.

Green and Cole visited the logistics warehouse, Contingency Aeromedical Staging Facility, as well as the pediatric, family health and dental clinics. The tour allowed them to see the 86th MDG facilities and to visit Airmen working within the group.

"I enjoy the energy of the young Airmen and hearing how I can make things better for them," said Green. "I am impressed at the innovative ways that they manage all of the patient medical inventory for Europe. Team work played a big factor for such a seamless integration."

They took the opportunity to sit down and speak with Airmen during breakfast to give words of encouragement and insight for not only the medical field, but for the Air Force in general.

"I thought it was a great opportunity to speak with them and to get some insight, and to get some understanding on our leaderships thinking process. It was interesting to hear about what they had to offer and to hear how they feel about the Air Force today," said Senior Airman Christopher Simpson, optometry technician.

Cole spoke about the great contributions that the Air Force is seeing from our current enlisted force, adding a thank you to the Airmen of the 86th MDG.

"We are as strong as we are because of the devotion that we put into our Airmen," said Cole.

Green and Cole also attended the 86th MDG annual awards ceremony. Cole showed enthusiasm towards recognizing Airmen award winners by leading each squadron in a motivational chant.

In turn, each squadron responded with pride. Green and Cole made it a point to speak of future plans for the Air Force medical field, current issues and shared thoughts on the medical field's mission.

"What we really do is provide trusted care anywhere," said Green.

Green and Cole have been working together for the past 10 years and have a combined 68 years of service.

## 86th AW Resiliency Stand Down Activity List

The following events are taking place today at the Fitness Assessment Cell to support the mental domain for Resiliency Stand Down Day.

**Drunk Buster:** 11 a.m. to noon and 2 to 3 p.m.

**Performance Enhancement:** 11 a.m. to noon and 2 to 3 p.m.

**B the Bigger Person:** 11 a.m. to noon and 2 to 3 p.m.

The following events are taking place today to support the physical domain for Resiliency Stand Down Day:

### SOUTHSIDE FITNESS CENTER

**Indoor Cycling:** 8 a.m.

**Pilates:** 9 a.m.

**Cardio Kickboxing:** 10 a.m.

**Zumba:** 11 a.m.

**Cardio Core:** noon

**Indoor Cycling:** 1 p.m.

**Turbo Kick:** 2 p.m.

**Circuits:** 3 and 4 p.m.

### NORTHSIDE FITNESS CENTER

**Circuits:** 10 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

### VOGELWEH FITNESS CENTER

**Hardcore Circuits:** 10 a.m.

**PT Boot Camp:** 1:30 p.m.

## AFAF video contest submissions due Tuesday

by **Eric M. Grill**  
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**RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas** — Air Force Assistance Fund officials reminded USAF videographers and YouTube fans that submissions for the AFAF 2012 fundraising campaign online video are due Tuesday.

The video contest was extended to allow participants more time to complete their video entries. The winning video in each category will be featured on the AFAF YouTube page and played at the ninth annual Air Force Charity Ball in Springfield, Va., March 24. The AFAF will also name a 2012 Air Force Aid Society educational grant after the winning teams in recognition of their efforts.

"Anybody can submit a video entry, and we encourage everyone who is interested to participate," said William D'Avanzo, Air Force voting

action officer and fundraising chief.

D'Avanzo said he hopes the video contest will motivate Airmen and their families to get more involved in the AFAF campaign.

### Video contest rules and guidelines include:

- Videos must be about one or all of the AFAF affiliate charities, the campaign itself, or testimonials on how one of the charities helped an individual or family.

- The videos may be humorous, serious, informational or educational.

- Participation eligibility and number of video teams from each base is unlimited.

- Each person or team may submit one video in each of the two categories: 29 seconds and 59 seconds.

- The video must be posted to a YouTube channel and the video link e-mailed to USAF. Fundraising@randolph.af.mil no later than Tuesday. The e-mail must be digitally signed from an af.mil account, and

must contain this statement: "All persons appearing in the video have given permission to be videotaped and for the video to be publicly displayed on YouTube."

Winning videos will be announced on the AFAF YouTube channel and through public affairs channels beginning Feb. 6.

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(Tech. Sgt. Steve Grever contributed to this story).

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## JAN. 18

8:45 a.m.: An Army NCO reported theft from a motor vehicle and damage to private property in Ramstein-Miesenbach.

12:11 p.m.: An Airman reported theft from a motor vehicle in Ramstein-Miesenbach.

5 p.m.: A stolen USAREUR license plate from a government owned motorcycle was reported.

## JAN. 19

12:40 p.m.: An assault occurred at Ramstein High School after two high school dependents got into a scuffle. One student got the other student into a head lock and then proceeded to punch the student. A rights advisement was read to the dependent and the

child's sponsor.

9:24 p.m.: A break-in and larceny of private property was reported in Obernheim-Kirchenarnbach.

## JAN. 20

2:29 p.m.: A larceny of both private and government property was reported at Miesau Army Depot.

9:40 p.m.: Theft from a secured motor vehicle was reported at the Broadway Kino in Landstuhl. There are no suspects.

## JAN. 21

4:04 p.m.: A major traffic accident with injuries between a POV and a bicycle was reported Kaiserslautern. The investigation stated the driver of the vehicle pulled out in front of the rider of the bicycle

while they were in the bike lane.

9:40 p.m.: Theft from a motor vehicle was reported at the Broadway Kino in Landstuhl.

## JAN. 22

Between 3 and 6:30 a.m.: Three incidents of driving while intoxicated were reported. Each of the vehicle operators were tested and failed blood alcohol tests.

8 p.m.: A larceny of unsecured private property was reported in VFHA.

## JAN. 23

4:05 p.m.: A major traffic accident was reported when a truck driver backed into the post office on Kapaun, resulting in a splintered wood beam.

5:01 p.m.: An Army NCO reported an assault between a Soldier and his spouse after the spouse attempted to strike the Soldier with a motor vehicle.

## AADD STATS

**Jan. 21** — N/A volunteers, 10 calls, 23 lives potentially saved.

**Jan. 22** — 39 volunteers, 12 calls, 28 lives potentially saved.

# Reported Larcenies

## JANUARY 19

» **Obernheim-Kirchenarnbach:** one 32-inch Panasonic TV, one diamond necklace, one diamond skull charm, one red diamond cross charm, one blue diamond charm, one black diamond charm, one red diamond watch, two diamond cross earrings, four diamond earrings, black diamond earrings and one diamond charm.

## JANUARY 20

» **Miesau Army Depot:** Government property: one room key. Private property: one iPad case and various documents.

» **Broadway Kino, Landstuhl:** one black Jansport backpack containing a 2012 key chain on the zipper; one black and gray wallet containing 20 British Pounds, one civilian DD FM 1173 ID card and one civilian dependent retiree DD FM 1173-1 ID card; an unknown amount of Ibuprofen and other prescription medication containing 12 black and white pills; one gold ring; one maroon Cherish jewelry box; an unknown amount of personal hygiene products; one pink Samsung cell phone 5230 series; one Apple iPod Touch with a clear hard shell case; one pair of silver and white headphones; an unknown amount of makeup; one bottle of pomegranate energy juice; one house key with a Bear and UMUC key chain; one black Czech shirt with red and white writing; one pair of gray and blue Aeropostale yoga pants; one navy blue Aeropostale shirt; one royal blue soccer sweatshirt; one white tank top; one bus pass with picture; one green USAA prepaid credit card; and one pink Jansport book bag containing one zebra print calculator, one Apple 4 generation iTouch with a black and pink case, one pair of pink headphones, one USB thumb drive with band, one purple shirt, one pair of purple prescription glasses with purple case, an unknown amount of Bassoon reeds, house key with key chains, one high school elevator key, and one black and gray hat.

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## Closures

The 86th Medical Group will be closed today in observance of the 86th Airlift Wing's Resiliency Stand Down Day.

## Black History Month banquet

A Black History Month banquet will be held at 6 p.m. Feb. 4 at the Ramstein Officers' Club. The theme is "Black Women in American History and Culture." For details and tickets, call 0170-387-6858 or 0151-525-31702.

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## Cirque Dreams

The 86th Force Support Squadron and Armed Forces Entertainment will present the Cirque Dreams World Tour featuring the Broadway production of "Jungle Fantasy" Feb. 18 in Ramstein's Hangar 2. An international cast of soaring aerialists, acrobats, jugglers and musicians will entertain audiences. Shows are at 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Entry is free.

## Dental assisting program

The Ramstein Dental Clinic will start the next American Red Cross Dental Assisting Volunteer Program April 16. The course is full time for

seven months (from 6:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday). It is open to dependent ID cardholders with a high school diploma or equivalent. Applicants must attend the mass briefing at 3:30 p.m. March 19 in the Ramstein Dental Clinic waiting area. Interviews will be conducted March 21 to 23. Notification of selection will be announced March 26. Participants must be available to in-process March 27 to April 11. Further information, applications and interview slots will be given at the briefing. For details, call Tech. Sgt. Nailah Dillard or Staff Sgt. Nichol De Veyra at 479-2210 or 06371-46-2210.

## Pancake supper

St. Alban's Episcopal Congregation holds its annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Feb. 21 at the Ramstein Northside Chapel. This event is open to everyone in the KMC. At this last opportunity to "eat, drink and make merry" before Ash Wednesday, guests can enjoy all the pancakes and sausages they like. Admission is free. For details, call Tonya Parham at 06375-5579.



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# US Air Forces in Europe turns 70

by Charles Newell

U.S. Air Forces in Europe History Office

Saturday marks U.S. Air Forces in Europe's 70th birthday. During the year, USAFE and Team Ramstein will honor its mission, people and heritage by reminding everyone of USAFE's accomplishments — then and now — from the Second World War, through the Cold War, and in today's expeditionary era.

Born out of necessity during World War II, the command is the second oldest major command in the Air Force. Throughout its history, USAFE has remained a critical element of U.S. policy, strategy and presence in Europe.

The War Department originally designated the command as Headquarters, Eighth Air Force, on Jan. 19, 1942, as United States Strategic Air Forces Europe, from Feb. 22, 1944, and as its current designation, United States Air Forces Europe, on Aug. 7, 1945.

Each redesignation represented a change of mission and responsibility, from the buildup of forces and initial operations in the U.K., to the command of daylight strategic bombing, to follow-on operations in Germany after the war.

When the War Department activated and assigned personnel to Headquarters, Eighth Air Force, on Jan. 28, 1942, in Savannah, Ga., it intended the new organization to act as the air component for a task force invading Axis-held northwest Africa. When that operation was postponed, Eighth Air Force became the headquarters for the air power buildup in the U.K. It would be the first in many evolutions for the command.

The shift in assignment saw the Eighth at the center of the Allies' plans for winning the war as it went on to lead the Combined Bomber Offensive. This strategic bombing campaign helped the Allies achieve air superiority over Northwestern Europe, damaged Germany's war industries, and led to Allied victory.

The Cold War era, 1946 to 1991, witnessed continual modernization and expansion in direct response to the threat of attack by the Soviet Union and its Warsaw Pact allies. Soon after the Cold War began, the command directed the Berlin Airlift — saving the city, thwarting communism and validating the newly created U.S. Air Force.

The Korean War, the erection of the Berlin Wall, the Cuban Missile Crisis, the Vietnam War and the Soviet War in Afghanistan all challenged USAFE's mission. Ensuring Freedom's Future was as true then as it is now.

While combat readiness in direct support of NATO was USAFE's top priority in those years, the command also took part in hundreds of humanitarian operations from Iceland to Bangladesh and from sub-Saharan Africa to Eastern Europe.

The command fought its second war in 1991 as part of the coalition opposing Iraq's invasion of Kuwait. USAFE provided critical en route support to units deploying to Persian Gulf-hosted forward bases for B-52s and KC-135s and contributed vital logistics and maintenance support for those deploying forces. The bulk of Joint Task Force Proven Force, which



against Iraq from Turkey, came primarily from USAFE's ranks. The command deployed 15 percent of its people, 55 percent of its planes, and 33 percent of its munitions to Proven Force to join the fight, where its people fought as an integral part of coalition forces. USAFE pilots accounted for 15 of 33 coalition air-to-air victories before the cease fire in April 1991.

The pace of USAFE's humanitarian efforts accelerated after the end of the Gulf War. USAFE people and aircraft stayed in Turkey to help protect Iraqi Kurds. This mission, known as Operation Provide Comfort, which replaced Operation Northern Watch in 1997, included the enforcement of a no-fly zone over Northern Iraq and lasted until 2003.

In 1992, the command also delivered food and medical supplies to 11 former Soviet republics in Operation Provide Hope and helped the United Nations with subsequent relief efforts in Somalia during Operation Provide Relief and Restore Hope.

In 1997, the command airlifted West African peacekeepers into Liberia during Operation Assured Lift.

Closer to home, USAFE reached out to the new Central and Eastern European democracies, paving the way for NATO's 1993 "Partnership for Peace" initiative and the acceptance of Poland, Hungary and the Czech Republic as new members in 1999.

By the mid-1990s, the command was heavily involved in Yugoslavia, which had erupted into civil war in the summer of 1991. USAFE C-130s flew relief supplies into Sarajevo, the besieged Bosnian capital, from July 3, 1992, to Jan. 9, 1996, making Operation Provide Promise the longest lasting humanitarian airlift in history. The airlift task force flew 12,886 missions and delivered more than 160,000 metric tons of supplies.

When NATO began Operation Deny Flight to enforce a United Nations no-fly zone over Bosnia in April 1993, USAFE was there. Its pilots fired NATO's first shots, downing four Krajina Serb aircraft violating the no-fly zone on Feb. 28, 1994.

A year and a half later, USAFE was a mainstay in NATO's Operation Deliberate Force that not only enforced a NATO heavy-weapons exclusion zone around Sarajevo, but also helped bring the warring parties to the peace table at Dayton in late 1995.

USAFE, as part of the newly expanded NATO, went to war once again on March 24, 1999, when the alliance launched air attacks on Yugoslavia

to halt military action in Kosovo and compel the Yugoslav government to accept an international settlement of the Kosovo dispute. In the 78-day campaign known as Operation Allied Force, USAFE people and aircraft flew a significant number of the nearly 35,000 sorties that forced Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic to ask for a cease-fire, evacuate his forces from Kosovo and permit an international peacekeeping force into the province. Shortly after the bombing campaign began, the mass exodus of Kosovar citizens into neighboring countries led to the establishment of Joint Task Force Shining Hope. This task force provided immediate relief to more than 450,000 refugees in Albania and Macedonia by airlifting food, equipment and medical supplies to the region. By the end of June 1999, USAFE was supporting the peacekeeping operation Joint Guardian, enabling refugees to return to Kosovo in hopes of rebuilding their homes and lives.

USAFE supported all these missions in the 1990s with a smaller resource base. With the Cold War over and Washington wrestling with budget and trade deficits, USAFE closed bases and returned aircraft to the U.S. From more than 800 planes, 72,000 people and 27 bases in 1990, USAFE had shrunk to 230 aircraft, more than 32,000 people, and six bases with active flying missions by the end of 1998.

After the tragic events of Sept. 11, 2001, USAFE responded to the Global War on Terrorism. The command played a key role in humanitarian air-drops over Afghanistan. Planes flew more than 2 million humanitarian rations from Ramstein to Afghanistan during the initial stages of Operation Enduring Freedom. USAFE people and aircraft also made critical contributions to the campaign against the Taliban and al-Qaida. The command also contributed to Operation Iraqi Freedom, which toppled Saddam Hussein's dictatorship in the spring of 2003.

With the command now marking its seventh decade of active service, USAFE continues to provide combat-ready forces, maintains vital access to three continents, and assures friends and allies while building their operational capacity.

Last year, these unique attributes came to the forefront during U.S. support to operations in Libya. When the U.N. called upon the international community for aid, USAFE was able to quickly draw upon its people and resources to first provide humanitarian assistance in the early crisis and later provide on-hand combat forces as part of a coalition of European and other partner nations to protect the Libyan populace from the violence of the Qadhafi regime. After NATO assumed responsibility for operations in Libya in April 2011, USAFE continued its support.

USAFE has changed in many ways since its creation in 1942. Despite the changes, its mission has remained constant: to defend freedom and democracy in Europe. Political and economic ties with the U.S. make Europe an area vital to American national security.

As the command embarks on its seventh decade of service to the nation, today's Airmen build on the achievements of hundreds of thousands of talented and dedicated professionals who served before.

Happy 70th USAFE!



# Demanding readiness through reduction

by Staff Sgt. Warren Spearman  
86th Airlift Wing Public Affairs

**T**he KMC is constantly expanding and evolving. The latest facility to undergo change is the Drug Demand Reduction center, located at the Southside fitness center annex.

The remodeling of the facility, a partnership between the 435th Air Ground Operations Wing Construction and Training Squadron and the 86th Airlift Wing, took only six months to complete from start to finish.

"I've been places where you couldn't get any project off the drawing board in that time," said Brig. Gen. C.K. Hyde, 86th Airlift Wing commander.

In front of a nice crowd of distinguished Ramstein senior leaders and onlookers, Hyde officially cut the ribbon, opening the renovated facility.

In addition to the ribbon cutting, Hyde was presented with a large ceremonial key by 435th AGOW Commander, Col. John Shapland, as a token of appreciation.

In his opening remarks, Hyde stressed his feelings about the new facility's ultimate purpose.

"This facility is really about one



Photo by Senior Airman Aaron-Forrest Wainwright

*Col. John Shapland, 435th Air Ground Operations Wing commander, hands over a key to Brig. Gen. C.K. Hyde, 86th Airlift Wing commander, Tuesday on Ramstein. The key signifies the 435th AGOW and 86th AW coming together to accomplish the new Drug Demand Reduction facility.*

thing, and that's readiness," Hyde said. "Maintaining the readiness of our Airmen to fight at any given moment and making sure that their fellow Airmen around them have confidence in the person standing next to them in the combat zone."

One of the key points stressed by both Hyde and Shapland was the partnership of the two wings.

"It's just an incredible teamwork effort," Shapland said. "It's a great example of Team Ramstein really having the drive and determination to bring a vision to reality."

That vision has produced a facility that will better accommodate the Ramstein warriors.

"It really was a ground up renovation," said Morgan McNabb, the DDR

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86th Airlift Wing commander

program manager. "We have doubled the space of our old facility, installed more urinals and stalls, and created a workspace that will help the flow of traffic so that we can check them in and process them quicker."

As the base continues to evolve, the responsibilities to keep its service members ready stays the same.

"It's something the Airmen will be really proud of," McNabb said. "This new renovation will turn the focus of DDR to more of a deterrent program that reinforces the readiness of the force."

## MILITARY Matters

### Civil Engineer Corner

#### Dorm managers needed

The 86th Civil Engineer Squadron has vacancies in dorm management for a staff and a technical sergeant. Applicant criteria includes: E-5/E-6 with completed seven-level, two years remaining on station, commute should be within 30 minutes, minimum fitness score of 80 percent, provide copies of last three enlisted performance reports, provide current fitness score sheet, provide SURF, must not have received a selective re-enlistment bonus, must be released from their Air Force Specialty Code, among other requirements.

Job description: Ensure a high quality of life standard for residents to achieve a clean, safe and secure campus. Maintain and coordinate work order requests and repair records to ensure all actions are completed in a timely manner. Ensures fire, safety and health inspections are completed.

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# KMC honors Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Story and photo by Spc. Iesha Howard

21st TSC Public Affairs

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. influenced change through non-violent means during the civil rights movement. Two of his most famous contributions to the civil rights movement were the organization of the Montgomery Boycott in 1955 and his "I Have a Dream" speech at the Lincoln monument in Washington, D.C., during the March on Washington in 1963.

King's influence continues today as Soldiers of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command and U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern, Airmen of the 86th Airlift Wing, Kaiserslautern Middle School students, Department of Defense employees, military family members and German local nationals gathered to celebrate King's life, commitment and legacy Jan. 20 at the Galaxy Theater on Vogelweh. This year's theme, "Remember, Act and Celebrate," was focused on celebrating the tremendous positive change brought about by the civil rights leader.

Sgt. Maj. James Stewart, the guest speaker and the 21st TSC religious support team sergeant major, hon-

ored King with a speech. During his remarks, he quoted Professor Melvin Sylvester, a professor and black history author who taught at Long Island University.

"In a span of 13 years, from 1955 till his death in 1968, he was able to expound, expose and extricate America from many wrongs," quoted Stewart. "His tactics of protest involved non-violent passive resistance to racial injustice. It was the right prescription for our country, and it was right on time."

"I was not born before or during the civil rights movement, but I am reaping the benefits of all the hard work that my forefathers did to be in the position I am in today," said Staff Sgt. Melvin Lucas, a network operations supervisor for 86th Communications Squadron. "Being a free Airman or being a free Soldier or just being in the military and being able to experience the things that I have been able to experience, gives us another element to the Civil Rights movement and makes it more evident of our equality across the board."

USAG-K and 21st TSC leaders contributed support to this event by cutting the celebratory cake and organizing a commemorative march symbolic of the



Soldiers of 21st Theater Sustainment Command and U.S. Army Garrison-Kaiserslautern march together on Vogelweh Jan. 19 to commemorate the March on Washington in which Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. gave the famous "I Have a Dream" speech.

March on Washington.

"We had a lot of children and younger Soldiers here today," said Command Sgt. Maj. Gene Canada, the USAG-K command sergeant major. "This event gives them a foundation of history and lets them know that they can achieve anything regardless of their creed or national origin. This event gives Soldiers a form of unity and reminds them that we are all one family."

## Technology Expo takes place Feb. 7

Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association Kaiserslautern Chapter 158 hosts the Ramstein Winter Technology Exposition from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Feb. 7 at the Ramstein Officers' Club.

U.S. Air Forces in Europe/A6 sponsors the expo, which is free to all military, civilian, and contractor personnel.

More than 40 exhibitors will demonstrate the latest in cloud computing, data storage/protection, digital imaging, fiber connectivity, media converters, office furniture, optical equipment, satellite solutions, unified communications, video network infrastructure, VOIP, VTC systems, and more.

"NCSI is proud to have produced this semi-annual Expo for Ramstein Air Base for more than 15 years," said Jennifer Mason, event manager for National Conference Services, Inc. "The Technology Expo is valuable to the KMC because it allows personnel to evaluate the latest emerging and mission related technologies. It's also an efficient use of time, as there is no cost and no travel involved."


The exhibit floor will open with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 9:15 a.m. A breakfast buffet preceding the opening is scheduled for 7:30 a.m. It is free for AFCEA members and new applicants.

Special guest speaker Gus Anderson with DRS Technical Services, Inc. will be present at the breakfast.

For more information on the breakfast or to register to attend, visit <http://kmcafce.org/luncheon>.

For more information or to request a company or technologies, contact Jennifer Mason at 001-443-561-2392 or e-mail [Mason@ncsi.com](mailto:Mason@ncsi.com).

To pre-register for the event, visit [www.FederalEvents.com](http://www.FederalEvents.com), click on "Ramstein AB" and choose the "Pre-Register" link.



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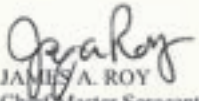
SUBJECT: Resiliency Stand Down

The Air Force is committed to helping Airmen and their families build the resiliency needed to withstand today's stressors. Despite our continued efforts, in just the last two weeks, we have lost several Airmen to suicide. Our Airmen are too important to lose in this manner, and the costs to individuals, families, friends, co-workers, and our mission are beyond measure.


To focus our efforts and energies, we are directing a one-day stand down for all units to refocus on resiliency. Commanders and supervisors are directed to pick a day in the next two weeks to stop operations in order to make face-to-face contact with all Airmen in their work areas. Special attention should be paid to Airmen who may be experiencing relationship difficulties, pending UCMJ actions, or financial difficulties. In their discussions, leaders should remind all Airmen – officers, enlisted, and civilians – that seeking help for themselves, or for fellow wingmen, is a sign of strength. We should also emphasize the many resources available to support Airmen and family members in distress.

Our wingman culture encourages us to look out for one another, and this stand down is an opportunity to stop and think about what is happening and what steps we can take to reach out to Airmen in need. In addition to any local resiliency programs already in place, we have attached additional information to guide individual and group discussions.

The point of contact for this stand down is AF/AISY, DSN 612-4920, or [afaisy@pentagon.af.mil](mailto:afaisy@pentagon.af.mil).



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Attachment:  
Talking Points for Individual and Group Discussion



# Garrison firefighters help douse flames at German horse farm

**Story and photo by Rick Scavetta**  
U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern

A dog barking in the pre-dawn darkness alerted its sleeping owners of a fire in their apartment, one of two homes at a local German horse farm.

German firefighters from nearby Winnweiler knew they would likely need some help dousing the blaze.

Thanks to a mutual aid agreement with U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern, they were able to call upon Army firefighters at Sembach Kaserne.

It was just after 4 a.m. when Thilo Schwender, a crew chief at Sembach's fire station, received the call. He and fellow firefighters had just returned to the station from a fire alarm on post and were hoping to clean up and rest.

Instead, they put their gear back on and drove their trucks out into the darkness, toward Schweisweiler, a small farming community roughly 15 miles north of Kaiserslautern. By then, apartments at the horse farms were fully engulfed in flames.

"It burns very big and we can see it from one mile," Schwender said. "The sky was yellow."

The fire moved into the attic and

was spreading rapidly. Several cows nearby were moved. Just 45 feet away, dozens of horses were in their stable. Garrison firefighters coordinated their plan with the local firefighters and began their attack.

Firefighter Fabian Reidenbach was in charge of pumping water from a truck. From his vantage point, he could see the challenge they faced. Roaring flames consumed the building and showed little signs of stopping.

"The fire was always getting bigger and bigger," Reidenbach said.

Soon, firefighters opened the roof and sprayed water from ladders above. Gradually, the fire subsided.

No people or animals were harmed by the fire, which occurred early Dec. 23, said firefighter Andreas Zell.

"A fire is a fire. I help people on base or off base, it's not different for me," Zell said. "I'm proud when everyone from my crew is coming back and everyone is okay."

Winnweiler mayor Rudolf Jacob expressed his gratitude for neighborly assistance in a recent letter to Lt. Col. Lars Zetterstrom, U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern commander.

"We want to take this opportunity to thank you very much and the



Firefighter Andreas Zell checks out equipment on his truck at Sembach Kaserne. German authorities praised U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern firefighters for assisting their German counterparts in putting out a fire Dec. 23 at a local horse farm.

firefighter(s) for support in this devastating fire," Jacob wrote.

In Kaiserslautern, garrison firefighters are mostly German civilian employees and many also serve local volunteer departments. In the summer of 2010, they fought a major fire at the Kleber Kaserne Shoppette. But, large fires on post are rare, firefighters said. Thankfully, most calls are alarms to check.

Since the 2010 Winnweiler mutual

aid agreement, Sembach firefighters have helped local stations about once a month, often assisting with car accidents on the nearby autobahn. The horse farm fire was the first time they helped put out a major fire off post.

"They call us when we they need us and on the other side, we can call them if we need them. It's a very good thing, this agreement," Reidenbach said.

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•Youth and Adult Scotch Doubles: 28 Jan., Sign-up at noon; bowl at 1 p.m. \$10 per person. One adult and one youth bowl 4 games alternating turns. Color pins, prizes for the kids and money for the adults.

## COMMUNITY CENTER

Ramstein • Bldg 412 • 06371-47-6600

•Flea Market: Every 2nd and 4th Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

•Football Family Bingo: 27 Jan., Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Game starts at 6 p.m.

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•Batman Live: 28 Jan., tickets on sale now.

•Father Daughter Princess Ball: 11 Feb., tickets on sale now.

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•TGIF: Fridays, 5-8 p.m.

•Karaoke: Saturdays, 9p.m.-2 a.m.

•Football Frenzy: Sundays, 6 p.m.

•Kids' Club Valentine's in Club E': 7 Feb., 5-7 p.m.

•Texas Hold'em: Every Thursday. Doors open at 6 p.m. Game starts at 7 p.m.

## KAISERSLAUTERN ROD & GUN CLUB

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•Archery Course: Fridays, \$50, 5-7 p.m.

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## OFFICERS' CLUB

Ramstein • Bldg 302 • 06371-47-2824

•Sunday Brunch 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

•Quarterly Membership Breakfast: 31 Jan., 6:30-8:30 a.m. Free for all Club Members!

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Photo by Airman 1st Class Kendra Alba



## Engine change

Airman 1st Class Steven Johnson, 86th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron crew chief, and Ben Choates, Air Force engineer and air frame technician, prepare to take an engine off of a C-130J Super Hercules Jan. 18 on Ramstein. The engine was damaged by a metal fragment and will take around eight hours to repair.



Photo by the Ramstein Airman &amp; Family Readiness Center

## Air Force family of the week

Staff Sgt. Tiffany Roia, her husband Blake and their son Zachariah, 7, recently arrived at Ramstein coming from Kirtland Air Force Base, N.M. Roia is assigned to the 86th Maintenance Operations Squadron. The family is looking forward to eating schnitzel and traveling.



Photo by Capt. Amanda Kehrrington

## 18th MP Bde hosts partnership reception

Maj. Chad Goyette, 18th Military Police Brigade operations officer, and Lt. Col. Uwe Staab, a German military police consultant for the Federal Ministry of Defense in Bonn, Germany, talk during the German-American Holiday Reception hosted by the 18th MP Bde. Jan. 7.

## Cupid's Workshop

Celebrations store manager Brenda Weiler assembles a gift basket for Valentine's Day at Cupid's Workshop Jan. 19 on Ramstein. Cupid's Workshop is located in the Ramstein Community Center and will be taking requests until Feb. 3. Cupid's Valentine Store will be opening immediately after on Feb. 4 and will stay open until Feb. 14.



Photo by Senior Airman Brittany Perry



# 773rd CST takes on EMAT responsibilities

by 7th Civil Support Command  
Public Affairs

**SCHWETZINGEN, Germany** — The Emergency Medical Assistance Team, based in Schwetzingen, Germany, cased its colors and deactivated at Tompkins Barracks Jan. 11, ending its six-year Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and High-Yield Explosive reconnaissance mission in Europe.

Although the EMAT was deactivated, the need for this capability remains. Taking up the mission is the Army Reserve's 773rd Civil Support Team, 7th Civil Support Command, based in Kaiserslautern.

Activated in 2009 and fully operational since 2010, the 773rd CST possesses the unique skill, expertise and capability to carry out what is expected of an EMAT.

To prepare for the transition, the 773rd CST and EMAT conducted several joint training exercises, the most



Photo courtesy of the U.S. Army

*Maj. Philip C. Wolfe (left), the detachment commander of the Emergency Medical Assistance team, Sgt. Daniel C. Lewis (center), and Sgt. 1st Class Jose S. Mora, the NCOIC of the EMAT detachment, case the detachment's colors during the deactivation ceremony Jan. 11.*

recent being last month during Cobalt Dragon. This exercise provided the 773rd the opportunity to cross train with EMAT and ensure they are pre-

pared for their new additional mission.

Lt. Col. Leslie Dillard, commander of the 773rd CST, said her unit is the best choice for this critical mission.

The Soldiers of the 773rd CST are active Reserve and have completed the professional medical and hazardous materials courses and training and possess the needed experience.

EMAT was created in response to the 9/11 terrorist attacks when U.S. Army Europe directed an extensive assessment of consequence management reaction and assessment capabilities. USAREUR recognized that an organic forward stationed CM capability was required to meet the theater European Command and Joint Strategic Capability plan.

Brig. Gen. Mark Hendrix, commanding general of the 7th CSC, said the EMAT's deactivation is a result of force structure decisions, but emphasized the critical need for this capability.

In the context of today's global security environment of asymmetric threats against civilian populations by extremist and non-state actors, "the EMAT mission of consequence management is more important than ever," Hendrix said.

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# National Children's Dental Health Month: Promoting healthy mouths for 63 years

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This year, the NCDHM campaign asks that all children "Rock Your Smile!"

By cultivating good oral hygiene practices and scheduling regular dental visits at an early age, children are afforded the opportunity to develop healthy habits that will help their teeth and gums last a lifetime.

Throughout the month of February, dental teams around the globe will be visiting schools to promote proper brushing, flossing and healthy dietary choices through hands-on demonstrations, videos and slide presentations.

The 86th Dental Squadron will be



*Courtesy photo*

visiting with local students on the following dates:

- Feb. 2 — Ramstein Library Story Time
- Feb. 7 to 9 — Ramstein Intermediate School
- Feb. 10 — Child Development Center Preschool Age Program
- Feb. 13 to 14 — Ramstein Middle School
- Feb. 14 to 15 — Ramstein High School

• Feb. 15 — Vogelweh Library Story Time

• Feb. 17 — Sembach Middle School

• Feb. 27 to 28 — Ramstein Elementary School

In the meantime, keep these helpful dental tips in mind:

To ensure a healthy smile and reduce the risk of cavities, teeth should be brushed at least twice daily for no less than two minutes. Flossing should be

done at least once a day.

Remember parents, children under 10 years old may not have the dexterity to brush or floss effectively, and therefore will require some assistance. Smart snacking alternatives such as fruits, vegetables, nuts, dairy products and sugarless gum can also be helpful in building strong cavity-resistant teeth and healthy gums.

*(Courtesy of the 86th Dental Squadron)*

## School Notes

### RHS winter musical

The Ramstein High School winter musical, "Into the Woods," directed by Karsten Fischer and Liam Merkle, will be performed at 7 p.m. Saturday in the school's great hall. Tickets cost \$8 for adults and \$5 for children. Tickets will be sold one week prior to the musical.

### RMS Valentine's dance

Ramstein Middle School's PTSA will host a Valentine's dance from 6 to 9 p.m. Feb. 10. Tickets will go on sale Feb. 7 during the three school lunches in the MPH. For details, e-mail [rams.ptsa@googlemail.com](mailto:rams.ptsa@googlemail.com).

### RMS yearbooks

The Ramstein Middle School PTSA has limited copies of the 2011/2012 yearbook available to students and staff. The yearbooks are available for \$32 until Tuesday and will be sold on a first come basis. If books are still available Wednesday, the price will increase to \$35. Copies are limited, and the yearbook sold out the last few years. Visit [www.internationalmemories.us](http://www.internationalmemories.us) and buy a book before they're gone. For details, contact Sanja Abshire at [RAMSYearbook@hotmail.com](mailto:RAMSYearbook@hotmail.com).

### KMC scholarship program

KMC scholarships are available to graduating high school seniors, continuing university students and spouses of U.S. active duty, retired military and Department of Defense civilians residing in the KMC. Details of eligibility, requirements and deadlines are noted in the scholarship applications available at [www.ramsteinosc.org/scholarships](http://www.ramsteinosc.org/scholarships). The Ramstein Officers' Spouses Club, Ramstein

Enlisted Spouses' Association and Kaiserslautern Landstuhl Spouses' Association provide the funding for the KMC scholarship program.

### RMS PTSA membership meeting

Ramstein Middle School's PTSA will hold a membership meeting at 3:15 p.m. Feb. 9 in the school's information center/library. Current and new members are welcome to attend. For details, contact the PTSA at [rams.ptsa@googlemail.com](mailto:rams.ptsa@googlemail.com).

### Parent volunteers needed

The Lunch Recreation Program at Ramstein Middle School needs parent volunteers. Without parent support, we are unable to open during the three lunches. The time commitment is two to two and a half hours a week. For details, e-mail [kpalko@hotmail.com](mailto:kpalko@hotmail.com).

### Honor society induction ceremony

Ramstein Middle School will hold a National Junior Honor Society Induction Ceremony at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 16 in the Armstrong Hall on campus. New members to NJHS are required to attend.

### KMS Open House

Kaiserslautern Middle School will host an Open House from 4 to 7 p.m. Feb. 15 for the community to view "The Life of a Civil War Soldier" Traveling Trunk exhibition. This program is provided by the Gettysburg National Military Park. Stations will be set up in the MS/HS Media Center, Bldg. 2000, Room 260, second floor, with artifacts and activities that will bring the experiences of Civil War soldiers to life. If you are a Civil War history enthusiast and would like to participate, call Liz Huff at 0631-536-7430.



*Courtesy photo*

### Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. celebration breakfast

*Giovana Kingsberry (far left) and keynote speaker Col. Stephen A. Hughes (far right), along with future leaders of America Jonathan Parker, Deshaun Bennett, JuVohn Roberson, Charro Freeman, Devon Harris, Langston Newsome, Nile McIntosh, Quintin Harper and Zachary Kersey, all students from Ramstein Middle School, pose for a photo Jan. 16 during the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. celebration breakfast at the Ramstein Officers' Club.*



# 2012 January

## Mark Your Calendar

» **Watch "Bee Movie"** while snacking on free popcorn from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. Sunday at Armstrong's Club, Bldg. 1036 on Vogelweh Housing. Adults and children can take pleasure in the \$1 meal specials and buy one, get one free virtual bowling game. Free snack bags will be available for children 12 and under. For more information, call 0631-536-6000.

» **The Mother-Daughter Book Club** meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month at the Kaiserslautern Main Library, Bldg. 3810. Recommended for youth ages 9 to 12. Join by reading the February book, "The Creep Makers' Bond," by Julie Crabtree. For more information, e-mail kmcmotherdaughterbookclub@gmail.com or call 0151-5877-6489.

» **Come spend a quality family afternoon playing darts,** virtual bowling and shooting pool at Family Fun Day from 3 to 6 p.m. Feb. 5 and 19 at Armstrong's Club, Bldg. 1036 on Vogelweh Housing. Try out the board games, Wii, Playstation 3 and Xbox 360 as well. For more information, call 0631-354-9986.

» **Tickets are now available for the seventh annual Super Bowl party,** hosted by Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers and Service members. The game takes place from 9 p.m. to 4 a.m. Feb. 5 at the Kazabra Club, Bldg. 2057 on Vogelweh. For tickets and more information, call the One Stop Shop, Bldg. 3810 on Landstuhl Post, at 486-8943 or 06371-86-8643.

» **Challenge the bartender to a**

**game of darts** during Dart Night at the Kazabra Club from 7 to 10 p.m. Thursdays in Bldg. 2057 on Vogelweh.

» **Sing, play an instrument, recite poetry or show off your comedy skills** at Open Mic Night every Thursday at Armstrong's Club, Bldg. 1036 on Vogelweh Housing. Sign-up starts at 6:30 p.m. and performances begin at 7. For more information, call 0631-536-6000.

» **Have a ball at the Sembach Bowling Center,** now open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The bowling center is located on Sembach, Bldg. 104.

» **Is your spouse deployed? Why not let ACS help you overcome the blues** by signing up for a free ice skating trip through Army Outdoor Recreation. The trip takes place from 1 to 6 p.m. Feb. 12. Reservations are limited so this free trip is offered on a first come, first serve basis. For details, call 493-4095 or 0631-3406-4095 or e-mail alberto.sotorivera.civ@mail.mil.

## Meetings

» **The Rheinland-Pfalz International Choir** resumed choir rehearsals Tuesday. Rehearsals are held from 7 to 9:15 p.m. every Tuesday in Kaiserslautern. For more information on the choir and how to join, visit [www.sing-rpic.de](http://www.sing-rpic.de) or call Sharon at 01717734278.

» **Take Off Pounds Sensibly** is a weight loss support group that meets from 5:15 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays (except for federal holidays or the week of Christ-

mas and New Year's) on Pulaski Barracks near Vogelweh in Bldg. 2919 in the first floor conference room. Find us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/KaiserslauternTOPS](http://www.facebook.com/KaiserslauternTOPS). For more information, call 0170-800-7205 or 06303-807-708.

» **Overcome your fear of public speaking at Toastmasters,** which takes place at noon the first and third Tuesdays of the month in the Ramstein Northside Chapel conference room. This is a "learn by doing" public speaking club where members hone their speaking, listening, evaluating and presenting skills in a friendly, comfortable atmosphere. E-mail [ramsteintostmasters@gmail.com](mailto:ramsteintostmasters@gmail.com) for details.

» **Rheinland-Pfalz Quilt Guild meetings** are held at 9:30 a.m. the third Thursday of each month in the Ramstein North Chapel. Night meetings are held at 6 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month in the Kaiserslautern Landstuhl Spouses Association building on Pulaski Barracks. Stitch 'n' Gab are held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fridays at the Kapaun Chapel Annex, Bldg. 2782.

» **HUGS (Help Us Grow Securely)** is an interactional and educational playgroup designed to develop parenting skills, socialization and educational activities. HUGS playgroup is now located at the Vogelweh Community Center. HUGS meets from 10 to 11:30 a.m. and is for children ages 0 to 4. For more information, contact Army Community Service at 493-4203 or 0631-3406-4203 or go online to [www.mwrgermany.com](http://www.mwrgermany.com).

## Support Groups

» **The Adoption Support Group** hosts a play time for adopted children of all ages at 9:30 a.m. Feb. 25 at Das Praehistorium in Schiffweiler. The play time is held so adopted children can see and get to know other children who were adopted. Bring your euro and your cameras. For more information about the event, visit [www.usadopteurope.com](http://www.usadopteurope.com).

» **Join the Army Community Service Exceptional Family Member Program** and learn more about Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Yellow Ribbon Room on Pulaski Barracks. This session will facilitate discussion between families, special education personnel and EFMP staff pertaining to the services and resources available to support children diagnosed with ADHD. To reserve your spot or for more information, call 493-4094 or 0631-3406-4094.

» **The Incest/Sexual Abuse/Assault Survivors Peer Support Group** meets at 6 p.m. every Wednesday in the Yellow Ribbon Room, Bldg. 2926 on Pulaski Barracks. This group does not discriminate based on age, gender or race, however, children under 16 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. This is a peer support group, not a therapy group. If you need assistance finding a therapist, call Joanie Ralston at 0160-979-78785. For more information, call Ralston or e-mail [isas\\_crossingover@yahoo.com](mailto:isas_crossingover@yahoo.com).

## Flu Prevention Starts With You

Influenza, commonly called the flu, is a contagious virus that infects the respiratory tract and is spread from one infected person to another. The flu can cause severe illness and complications in the elderly, young children, people with chronic health conditions, and with immune systems that are compromised. An estimated 200,000 people are hospitalized each year due to complications from the flu.

### Is it the flu or a cold?

Because colds and flu share many symptoms, it can be difficult to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone. In general, the flu is worse than the common cold. Flu symptoms include:

- Fever\*
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Runny or stuffy nose
- Muscle or body aches
- Headaches
- Fatigue (tiredness)
- Some people may have vomiting and diarrhea, though this is more common in children than adults.

\* *It's important to note that not everyone with flu will have a fever*

### How to Protect Yourself and Family from the Flu

The best way to protect yourself is by getting the seasonal flu vaccine each year. The vaccine protects you against the most common flu strains. Wash your hands when you're sick, or when you have close contact with sick people. When you cough or sneeze, don't cough into your hands, use a tissue and throw the tissue away.

If you become sick, stay home so you don't infect others around you. Anyone can get the flu, so it's important to take the proper steps to protect yourself and your family.

The flu vaccine is available to active-duty members and all beneficiaries. Vaccines are given on a walk-in basis during normal business hours at the Ramstein Immunization Clinic and the Landstuhl Immunization Clinic.

The Ramstein clinic is open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. The Landstuhl clinic is open from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Fridays.

(Courtesy of the 86th Aerospace Medicine Squadron)





# Volunteers bring passion to community theater group

Story and photo by

Mindy Campbell

U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern

The parking lot of the Kaiserslautern Community Activity Center on Daenner Kaserne was deserted and the building was dark on a recent Tuesday night.

Despite the desolate appearance, a handful of actors and musicians were assembled in the building, working on an upcoming production of the KMC Onstage, the local community theater troupe.

The group was rehearsing for "Why Do Fools Fall in Love," a four-woman musical about friendship, life and love featuring popular music from the 1960s. Opening night was Jan. 20. The musical's second weekend includes dinner theater performances today and Saturday, plus a matinee on Sunday.

The show features classic songs from the 1960s such as "My Boy Lollipop," "I Will Follow Him," "You Don't Have to Say You Love Me," and "Hey There Lonely Boy." The musical emphasizes that during life's struggles, friendship will last forever.

The show, like all of KMC Onstage productions, are produced and performed by an all-volunteer force. For this show, cast and crew started rehearsals. They typically spend several hours practicing, about three to four times a week.

A love of the theater is the force behind filling those long hours – after work and sometimes long commutes.

After working all day as a speech-language pathologist at Landstuhl

Regional Medical Center, Tim Fiscus heads over to the theater. He's the musical's director and accompanist.

"We do it for the performance and love of performing," said Fiscus, who has previously participated both on stage and on the production side of other KMC Onstage productions.

For Jeanne Ragonese, one of the four women in the musical, a passion for theater has led her to make the 60-mile commute each way from her Heidelberg home, where she is a Department of Defense Dependents Schools teacher.

"Some people join the ski club because they love to ski," she said. "I love theater."

Ragonese, who also played the character Mrs. Potts in KMC Onstage's "Beauty and the Beast," said she travels to different locations for community theater because there are limited options for English-language theater.

"Teaching is very other-centered," said Ragonese, who plays Florence in the upcoming show. "Acting is more me-centered. So, I find a balance by doing both. I leave practice so energized. I get so much back."

Fellow actress Adina Pavlesich, who plays Sally, can't imagine not participating in theater.

"It is what I am supposed to do. It's my heart," said Pavlesich, who also played villain Cruella De Vil in "101 Dalmatians."

And despite the all-volunteer aspect, the talent is great, Fiscus said.

"This cast is amazing," he said.

"That is the really interesting thing about a military community. There are



Community volunteers rehearse for "Why Do Fools Fall in Love," one of the KMC Onstage productions this season in Kaiserslautern.

those who could be working professionally, but because their spouse is deployed or overseas here, they have put their theater or vocal performance career on hold."

Actress Mindy Malenius, who has a master's degree in vocal performance, said theater has always been a part of her life and she was itching to get back on stage.

"We do it for the love and passion for music and theater," said Malenius, who plays Millie. "It is a part of who I am."

Another reason that many actors keep coming back after they join one KMC Onstage production is the relationships they build with one another.

"When you spend three to four hours every day with each other, you become a little family for sure," Fiscus said.

After joining a cast, you have such a sense of community, said Nicole Hatch, who plays Dee Dee in the musical.

"It is so much fun," she said. "Everyone is so outgoing."

Ragonese said that especially in a military community, the theater group is a wide-range of personalities and backgrounds that come together.

"You have such a mix of all kinds of rank of Soldiers, civilians, teachers and retired people," she said. "Once it is cast, everyone works together toward a common goal and are supportive of each other. This is exactly what these kinds of programs are for."

For information about the musical or purchasing tickets, contact KMC Onstage by e-mail at [kmconstage@eur.army.mil](mailto:kmconstage@eur.army.mil) or by calling 483-6626.

## Classes And Training

» **The Environmental Health Branch** at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center offers a Food Safety for Volunteers class from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at the Learning Resource Center, Bldg. 3718 on Landstuhl. A Food Handler's Card is required for anyone responsible for organizing and supervising food sales fundraising activities. To register, or for more information, contact [jason.smith5@amedd.army.mil](mailto:jason.smith5@amedd.army.mil).

» **Have you walked into an establishment and found yourself in a pickle** because you couldn't figure out how to order something to eat or buy a pair of shoes? Then you need to register for the conversational German class, which teaches the street smart version of the basic German language. Now, with two days and times to choose from, learning German never got easier. Take a lunch or evening class on Tuesdays. Stop by Bldg. 2891 on Pulaski Barracks or call 493-4023 or

0631-3406-4023 for more information or to register for the class.

» **Freshen up on basic interaction skills in an intimate and confidential setting** by registering you and your significant other for a couple's communication session? Sessions take place at 5 p.m. every Thursday in Bldg. 2917 Pulaski Barracks. For details or to register, call 493-4332 or 0631-3406-4332.

## Chapel News

» **Austrian Adventure 2012**, which takes place Feb. 11 to 17, is a chapel sponsored retreat for singles. Although primarily for the Protestant community, all military stationed in Europe, regardless of spiritual heritage or branch of service, are encouraged to attend. Our days will be filled with skiing, sledding, ice skating, touring or just relaxing in a beautiful summer castle nestled against an alpine lake in Millstatt, Austria. Our evenings will center around praise and worship and our

guest speaker will show us how to grow closer to God and develop a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ. The price includes lodging, food and lift tickets. Contact Rick and Kathy Deppe ([deppemilitarynav@gmail.com](mailto:deppemilitarynav@gmail.com)) for further information. Registration deadline is Wednesday.

» **The Ramstein Chapel is accepting bids** for The Protestant Women of the Chapel Children's Ministry Coordinator, who organizes and directs volunteers to minister to children ages infant to 12 years old for PWOC weekly fellowship meetings while mothers attend the Bible study. The chapel will be accepting bids until 4 p.m. Feb. 10. The Statement of Work and bid documents can be picked up from the Ramstein North Chapel, Monday through Friday. For more details on the position, call Petra Rausch at 480-6148 or 06371-47-6148.

» **The Catholic Women of the Chapel meet** from 6 to 8 p.m. the first Monday of each month at the Ramstein North Cha-

pel. Child care is provided. For details, e-mail [kmcgermanycwoc@googlemail.com](mailto:kmcgermanycwoc@googlemail.com).

» **The Catholic Women of the Chapel** host the following events: **Daytime Bible Study** from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. every Tuesday (breaking for summer and school holidays) at the Ramstein North Chapel Conference Room. **Daytime Weekly Bible Study for Moms and Little Catholics** from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. every Thursday (breaking for summer and school holidays) at the Ramstein North Chapel Conference Room. All ages are welcome. **Evening Weekly Bible Study** from 6 to 8 p.m. every Thursday at the Ramstein Southside Chapel.

» **The Protestant Women of the Chapel** host a lunchtime Bible study from noon to 1 p.m. every Tuesday in the Ramstein South Chapel conference room. Do you have questions about Christianity? Would you like to know more about God's word? We are now welcoming all women to come join us for "Lessons on Discipleship." Lunch will be provided.



# 435th AGOW Annual Awards Banquet

at the Armstrong Club  
on Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> at 1800



## Prices:

E-1 to E4 \$15 • E5 to E6 \$25 • E7 to E9 \$35

O-1 to O-3 \$35 • O-4 and Up \$40

For tickets contact your 435th AGOW first sergeant.

This is a sports themed event, so don't forget to wear your jersey.

## Kaiserslautern HAPPENINGS

Did you know?

### ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

#### Cool Classes and Opportunities:

**Hello America:** offered the 1st Thursday of every month, 10 a.m.  
For foreign-born spouses moving to the US.

**Smooth Move:** offered the 2nd Thursday of every month, 10 a.m.  
Helps with planning upcoming moves and ensures smooth transitions.

**Sponsorship Class:** offered the 4th Tuesday of every month, 3 p.m.  
Learn the roles and responsibilities to be a sponsor for incoming personnel.

**Lending Closet:** Moving in or out and need some household items?  
Stop by and borrow pre-packed bins of dishes and basic utensils.  
Items include 110 and 220v appliances.

## Volunteer of the Year is fast approaching!

Deadline to nominate a group/individual  
for Volunteer of the Year is Feb. 28th

Find the nomination forms at

[www.mwrgermany.com/klavc.html](http://www.mwrgermany.com/klavc.html)

Stop by and visit us!

We are located in Bldg. 289 I on Pulaski Barracks  
call DSN 493-4237 | Civ. 0631-3406-4237

## ARE YOU SAVINGS READY

[WWW.MILITARYSAVES.ORG](http://WWW.MILITARYSAVES.ORG)

### Take the Pledge

Feb. 21 | Heaton Auditorium | LRMC

Free Food | Fun | Savings Adventure

**Military Saves** is a social marketing campaign to persuade, motivate, and encourage military families to save money every month, and to convince leaders and organizations to be aggressive in promoting automatic savings.

Financial stability is about a lot more than knowledge—it takes consistent action over time. Most of us do better when we have a supportive environment. Military Saves is a campaign to make every military community that supportive environment. Take the pledge today at [militarysaves.org](http://militarysaves.org) and be a part of changing the culture of our military into a saving community!







# OUT & ABOUT

**FUN THINGS  
TO DO WITH  
YOUR FAMILY**

**FRI, JAN 27 – FRI, FEB 10**

## EVENTS

### Boat fair

Sat, Jan 21 – Sat, Jan 29  
Düsseldorf

If you like to be on the water and enjoy sailing, this is the perfect event for you. See the more than 1,600 different boats on display. They will present the future models and accessories.

For more information:  
[www.boat-duesseldorf.com](http://www.boat-duesseldorf.com)

### K-Town on Ice

Fri, Jan 27 – Sat, Feb 12  
Kaiserslautern

Fantastic winter fun for big and small. The ice age in K-Town provides excitement on skates. Enjoy the cold exhilaration in the event hall of the Gartenschau grounds.

For more information:  
[www.kaiserslautern.de](http://www.kaiserslautern.de)

### Guided stadium tour

Sat, Jan 28  
Fritz-Walter-Stadium, KL

Ever want to experience what it feels like to walk through the players' tunnel, wonder what the VIP section looks like or wonder where the press conferences are held? Look no further, today is that day.

For more information and tickets:  
[www.kaiserslautern.de/service/veranstaltungen](http://www.kaiserslautern.de/service/veranstaltungen)

### Holiday on Ice

Thu, Feb 2 – Sat, Feb 5  
SAP Arena, Mannheim

This will be a night of dancers, ice skaters and acrobats performing a new dimension. This is a show of special stunts and high speeds that will captivate the audience.

For more information:  
[www.saparena.de](http://www.saparena.de)

### Night of the Musicals

Sun, Feb 5  
Burgherrenhalle, Kaiserslautern  
Many classify this event as colorful with vibrant costumes and lots of feeling in the choreography. Whoopie Goldberg's "Sister Act" will be part of the show, which starts at 7 p.m.

For more information:  
[www.eventim.de](http://www.eventim.de)

### Children's Fashing

Sun, Feb 5  
Spiel & Spass Fabrik, Kaiserslautern  
Kinder Fasching starts at 2:11 p.m. Here, the children will be able to take part in a Fashing party just for kids. For more information:  
[www.kinderspielundspassfabrik.de](http://www.kinderspielundspassfabrik.de)

## CONCERTS

### The Black Pony

Sat, Jan 28  
Kammgarn, Kaiserslautern  
This is a band made up of two Germans, one American and one Canadian — all under 20. Their new single, "Perfect Night," was written by Guy Chambers (Robbie Williams). This is easy-going and cheerful IndiePopRock. Lyrics are in English. For more information:  
[www.kammgarn.de](http://www.kammgarn.de)

### Guano Apes

Sun, Jan 29  
Maimarkt Club  
Let this group open your eyes. This is a night of real fun music. For more information and tickets:  
[www.eventim.de](http://www.eventim.de)

### Military parade

Fri, Feb 3  
Karlsruhe  
See more than 400 military members from different nations perform an excellent show. They are sure to entertain you. For more information and tickets:  
[www.eventim.de](http://www.eventim.de)

### Laserkraft 3D

Sat, Feb 4  
Kammgarn, Kaiserslautern  
Enjoy a great party night with Laserkraft 3D. For more information:  
[www.kammgarn.de](http://www.kammgarn.de)

### Philharmonia Orchestra London

Sun, Feb 5  
Rosengarten, Mannheim  
Philharmonia Orchestra London  
Daniel Müller-Schott — cello  
Kurt Masur — conductor  
For more information:  
[www.rosengarten-mannheim.de/en](http://www.rosengarten-mannheim.de/en)

### Dropkick Murphys

Mon, Feb 6  
Mitsubishi Electric Hall, Düsseldorf  
This Irish-American punk rock band is known for their popular songs "I'm Shippin' Up To Boston," "The Dirty Glass" and "Walk Away." For more information and tickets:  
[www.eventim.de](http://www.eventim.de)

### Sexteto Major

Thu, Feb 9  
Kammgarn, Kaiserslautern  
Tango is passion! Sexteto Major received the Latin Grammy Award in 2003! For more information and tickets:  
[www.kammgarn.de](http://www.kammgarn.de)

### 'Thriller' live

Fri, Feb 10  
Rosengarten Mozartsaal, Mannheim  
If you are a fan of Michael Jackson you will want to be apart of this event. Get your white socks on and dazzle glove ready and see a show about the King of Pop. For more information:  
[www.eventim.de](http://www.eventim.de)

### The Soul Providers

Fri, Feb 10  
Kammgarn  
The Soul Providers are celebrating 20 years of performing with a huge concert at the Kammgarn in Kaiserslautern. For more information and tickets:  
[www.kammgarn.de](http://www.kammgarn.de)

## NIGHT LIFE

### Hip Hop Meets House

Fri, Jan 27  
Copa Lounge, Kaiserslautern  
A great location and an awesome ambience. See how DJ VIM put it together. Dance the night away. For more information:  
[www.copa-lounge.de](http://www.copa-lounge.de)

### Reggae Dance Hall

Fri, Jan 27  
Markthalle, Kaiserslautern  
A night of jam rock and fun. Let the music take you away. For more information:  
[www.markthalle-kl.de](http://www.markthalle-kl.de)

### Techhouse + House

Sat, Jan 28  
Copa Lounge, Kaiserslautern  
Techhouse + House  
DJs: ACME and CUEBRICK.  
For more information:  
[www.copa-lounge.de](http://www.copa-lounge.de)

### Apres ski party

Sat, Jan 28  
Irish House, Kaiserslautern  
Enjoy a great evening with DJ Freddy and nonstop party music, starting at 9 p.m. For more information:  
[www.irishhouse.de](http://www.irishhouse.de)

## SPORTS

### Basketball

Sat, Jan 28  
Sportcenter Erbach, Homburg  
Braves vs. Kirchheim  
Life begins when the season starts, so make sure you have your season passes and enjoy the game. For more information:  
[www.saar-pfalz-braves.net](http://www.saar-pfalz-braves.net)

### Handball

Sat, Jan 28  
Sporthalle, KL-Dansenberg  
TuS Dansenberg vs. TV 05 Mülheim  
The best handball team in the region. For more information:  
[www.tus-dansenberg.de/](http://www.tus-dansenberg.de/)

### Soccer

Sun, Feb 5  
Fritz Walter Stadium, KL  
1 FCK vs. 1 FC Cologne  
Game starts at 5:30 p.m. The Red Devils need your support! For more information and tickets:  
[www.fck.de](http://www.fck.de)

## SHOPPING

### Farmers market

Every Tuesday and Saturday  
Stiftsplatz, Kaiserslautern  
Get your baskets ready for all the fresh produce these vendors have to offer, including meat, cheese, fruit and flowers. For more information:  
[www.wochenmarkt-kaiserslautern.de](http://www.wochenmarkt-kaiserslautern.de)

**Send us your feedback and ideas to [info@advantipro.de](mailto:info@advantipro.de)**



# Was ist Los?

## KMC cultural highlights

by **Petra Lessing**

86th Airlift Wing Public Affairs

The following is a list of performances and events happening in the KMC and nearby. Dates are subject to change.

### Performing arts

#### **Pfalztheater Kaiserslautern:**

- "Carmina Burana/Astutuli," a ballet and musical theater by Carl Orff, 7:30 p.m. today and Feb. 11.
  - "Chronicle of the Immortals — Blood Night," a rock opera by Wolfgang Holbein with the band Vanden Plas, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Tuesday, Feb. 3, 8 and 6 p.m. Feb. 26.
  - "The Friends of the Pfalztheater sponsor a charity gala, "If I had a wish..." with ensemble members presenting their favorite works, 6 p.m. Sunday. Tickets cost €25.50.
  - "Madama Butterfly," an operetta by Giacomo Puccini, 6 p.m. Feb. 12, and 7:30 p.m. Feb. 18.
  - "Die 39 Stufen," The 39 Steps, a criminal comedy in German, based on Hitchcock's book, 8 p.m. Feb. 12.
  - "Die Schöne und das Biest," The Beauty and the Beast, a ballet by Stefano Giannetti, 8 p.m. Feb. 16 and 23.
  - "The Return of Shaolin," a kung fu show about the lives of Shaolin monks, 4 p.m. Feb. 5.
- For details, call 0631-3675-209 or visit [www.pfalztheater.de](http://www.pfalztheater.de).

#### **Kammgarn Kaiserslautern:**

- The band The Black Pony presents Indie pop rock, 8 p.m. Saturday. Tickets cost €20.
  - Albert Koch & Christoph Steinbach present the "The Big Boogie Show," 8 p.m. Thursday. Tickets cost €15.
  - Electro rock, house, wave, techno party with Laserkraft 3D and special guests, 10 p.m. Feb. 4. Tickets cost €12.
  - The group Sexteto Major presents a tango show, 8 p.m. Feb. 9. Tickets cost €32.
- For more information, visit [www.kammgarn.de](http://www.kammgarn.de) or call 0631-365-2607.
- Soul night with Midnight Mover and guest David Hanselmann, 8:30

p.m. Monday in Cotton Club. For details, visit [www.midnightmover.de](http://www.midnightmover.de).

#### **Fruchthalle, Kaiserslautern:**

- The German Radio Philharmonics Saarbrücken Kaiserslautern presents six young singing soloists, who recently were awarded, 5 p.m. Sunday. Tickets cost €10 to €21.
  - The German Radio Philharmonics Saarbrücken Kaiserslautern presents works by Richard Wagner and Wolfgang Rihm, 1 p.m. Thursday. Tickets with lunch being served at noon cost €19; tickets without lunch are €10.
  - "Karneval der Tiere," the carnival of animals, a family concert by Camille Saint-Saëns, 3 to 6 p.m. Feb. 5.
  - The German Radio Philharmonics Saarbrücken Kaiserslautern presents "Summer in Wintertime," with works by Frederick Delius, Claude Debussy and Carl Nielsen, 8 p.m. Feb. 10. Tickets cost €14 to €21.
- For details, stop at the Kaiserslautern Tourist Office, Fruchthallstrasse 14, visit [www.fruchthalle.de](http://www.fruchthalle.de) or call the office of arts at 0631-365-1410.

#### **JUZ (Youth Center), Steinstrasse 47, Kaiserslautern:**

- Salsa disco with DJ Omarito, 8 p.m. today. Tickets cost €3.50.
- From da Soul presents songs by Alicia Keys, Al Jarreau, Jamie Cullum, Michael Buble, 8 p.m. Thursday. Tickets cost €6.50.

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#### **Mehlingen, Sporthalle:**

- The State Police Orchestra presents a new year's concert, 6 p.m. Sunday.

#### **Landstuhl, Stadthalle:**

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#### **Haus des Bürgers, Ramstein-Miesenbach:**

- "Die Fledermaus," an operetta by Johann Strauss, in German, 8 p.m. Saturday. Tickets cost €26, €29 and €32.
- "Musical Diamonds," a show



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### Rock opera at Pfalztheater

The Pfalztheater in Kaiserslautern presents "Chronicle of the Immortals — Blood Night," a rock opera by Wolfgang Holbein, in German, with the local band Vanden Plas at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 3 and Feb. 8, and at 6 p.m. Feb. 26. The fantasy story is about Andrej Delány who after being heavily injured has to decide if he wants to turn from being immortal into a god, or if he wants to become a normal human being again. For more information, visit [www.pfalztheater.de](http://www.pfalztheater.de).

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- "Cinderella," a ballet by Stijn Celis with music by Sergej Prokofjew and Les Baxter, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 2 and 15.
- "Romeo und Julia," a concert opera by Vincenzo Bellini, in Italian with German subtitles, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 4.
- "The Rocky Horror Show," a musical by Richard O'Brien, in German, 6 p.m. Feb. 5 and 19, and 7:30 p.m. Feb. 8 and 11.

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#### **Nationaltheater Mannheim:**

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- "Garden of Other," a ballet by Dominique Dumais, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.
- "I'm with the Band," a ballet by Kevin O'Day, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 3 and 19.

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- Kaiserslautern, Theodor-Zink-Museum, Steinstrasse 48, display of exquisite Japanese dolls, through Feb. 26.
- Otterberg, Stadthalle, local sports club SVO sponsors soccer hobby tournament of senior players, Saturday.

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- Kaiserslautern, Pfalzcenter (across from Daenner Kaserne), Saturdays.
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Air Force Art Program artist John Witt sketches an on-the-spot portrait in the Ramstein passenger terminal. Witt was on a trip to Afghanistan to document the efforts of Airmen.



Air Force Art Program artist Michael Kane's painting is displayed in the Heritage Hall located in the 86th Airlift Wing Headquarters building. Kane stopped through Ramstein recently on the way to Afghanistan to document efforts of Airmen in Afghanistan.

# The Air Force through the eyes of artists

**Story and photos by  
Maj. Elizabeth Aptekar**  
86th Airlift Wing Public Affairs

Since receiving approximately 800 works of art from the U.S. Army in 1950, artists in the U.S. Air Force Art Program have wielded pens and brushes to convey the actions of Airmen in a way words never can.

Today, artists like John Witt continue this tradition. Recently, Witt and fellow Air Force artists Michael Kane and Christopher Hopkins completed a trip through Southwest Asia visiting Airmen and enjoying experiences they will translate in works of history depicting art.

While en route back to the states, Witt, Kane and Hopkins took a few minutes using their talent inside the Ramstein passenger terminal. In about 30 minutes, Witt finished an on-the-spot sketch portrait of an Airman ready to accompany an aeromedical flight to Afghanistan.

Witt has been an artist with the program for 32 years. Though his works tend to include great detail focusing on the real human aspects of military life, he also uses art as a morale booster.

"There are universal themes associated with this work: people and their plight, injuries, women and children," Witt said. "Art captures the essence of the present."

Today, management of the USAF Art Program and collection is the responsibility of the secretary of the Air Force, Office of the Administrative Assistant, which Witt and 200 other artists are a part of. The program offers artists the opportunity to travel to locations around the world witnessing and recording events in the form of drawings and paintings.

"Among the three artists, they've donated 93 pieces of art," said Russell

Kirk, Air Force Art Program director. "These folks do this for the men and women of the U.S. Air Force and most feel this is their way to give back."

While the Air Force accords the artist all courtesies and privileges equivalent to a GS-15 or colonel, the artist's income and opportunities are suspended during the assignment and creation of the work. Additionally, all work is donated to the Air Force without any permissible tax deductions.

Artists like Witt understand when joining the program it isn't about the money they will lose. It is about their work becoming part of the U.S. Air Force art collection, which documents the story of the Air Force through the universal language of art.

During this visit, the three artists were able to fly in multiple aircraft and view various Air Force capabilities, including missions at Bagram, Bastion, Kandahar, Mazar-E-Sharif, and Khost with a layover here. They also witnessed an airdrop mission in a C-130J Super Hercules where water supplies were provided for allies.

In addition to Airmen and Soldiers, each artist expressed appreciation for the opportunity to meet Afghan air force members, aeromedical evacuation caretakers, Egyptian field hospital workers and Afghan school teachers and children.

"Kandahar was like a nonstop air show," Kane said. "We are civilian artists. We get to experience this and see the Airmen and the Army working 24 hours a day and witness these critical patients and caretakers. It's worth it to give back after seeing what we've experienced during this immersion."

This was Kane's second visit to Afghanistan and his 15th trip since being accepted into the program in 1997. His first visit was in May 1999 to South Korea.

Ramstein is a special place for Kane, as his artwork adorns an entire wall of the Heritage Hall in the 86th Airlift Wing headquarters building. Kane said the painting took about six months to complete. General Bender was the wing commander during his initial visit and ideas became a painting that captured day-to-day activities at Ramstein.

"I focused on the wounded warrior mission and those that help, like the volunteers with the cookie bags, the funky ramp lights and the planes based here," Kane said. "The tower, security forces, combat communications and NATO partnerships ... a little bit of everything to include the side paintings."

Kane expressed one regret about this piece.

"I didn't get the dentists and I'm sorry. It's frustrating, you're always going to miss somebody. So it's more about capturing the essence instead," he said.

For Chris Hopkins, well-known for his Tuskegee Airmen portraits, being a part of the program is a family affair. His son, Justin Hopkins, was accepted into the program at 20 years old and his wife, Jan, is a sculptor.

Interested in culture, Hopkins looks to create heartfelt paintings of the human reaction to things.

"I love the people," Hopkins said. "A major who was teaching took us to an Afghan school ... these little girls learning English and computer skills were absolutely darling."

To do his period-capturing pieces, Hopkins does extensive research and works with anthropologists, conducts site visits and draws field sketches. He's completed 12 works so far and plans to finish at least three more. These pieces are completed in addition to his commercial work.

Works of art created by eminent artists are historical and educational

while highlighting the role and diverse capabilities of the U.S. Air Force to the military and the public.

Artists have been associated with U.S. military history since the Revolutionary War. For example, John Trumbull's work of the Declaration of Independence is still represented today on the back of the two-dollar bill.

Today, there are more than 10,000 works in the Air Force Art Program and the Society of Illustrators has been joined by other organizations and independent artists to continue documenting Air Force personnel, equipment, locations and activities.

The largest showing of work is held at the National Museum of the U.S. Air Force at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base every other October where a black-tie event, also known as the Air Force Art Presentation, is co-hosted by the secretary of the Air Force and chief of staff of the Air Force for participating artists during that period. This exhibit features approximately 230 to 260 works of art.

This display continues through January and the artwork is then brought back to the Pentagon for more exhibits and disbursed to various locations throughout the Air Force. These paintings tell the Air Force story at any given time by hanging in the halls of the Pentagon, in museums and at Air Force bases around the world.

Kane, who always wears Air Force clothing, whether it's a hat, a unit T-shirt or sweatshirts, shared his thoughts on why he is a part of this program.

"Outside of being married, this is the best thing that has ever happened to me," Kane said. "The Air Force is my team and these trips are my backstage pass. This awes me to touch, feel and experience the Air Force — you are who I root for."



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by Master Sgt.  
Bryan Daniel

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## Celebrating the crazy season

by Petra Lessing

86th Airlift Wing Public Affairs

People who like to dress up in fancy dresses or costumes and be somebody else have three and a half weeks left to do so. They can do it as long as Germany celebrates its "fifth season" or "crazy season." Different areas in Germany have different names for this season of disguise, being crazy and wild, cheering up and having fun. In the Pfalz it's called "Fassenacht" or "Fastnacht," in Bavaria it's "Fasching" and in the Cologne area it's "Karneval."

The fifth season officially begins 11:11 a.m. on the 11th day of the 11th month. Carnival clubs and associations start preparations for all kinds of events, including street parades that take place during the fifth season that ends Ash Wednesday, which this year is Feb. 22.

Traditionally, in the first week of the new year, carnival clubs crown their new Fastnacht princess or prince. The mayor hands them the keys to the city



Courtesy photos

The committee of Ramstein's carnival association Bruchkatze and its dancing group have fun at its first pomp session. The second session is scheduled for Feb. 11 at the Haus des Bürgers in Ramstein-Miesenbach.

or village and thus the executive power. Fasching celebrations officially can start now.

Typical celebrations and events include the "Maskenball" (masquerade ball), "Faschingstanz" (Fasching dance), "Kinderfasching" (children's fasching party) and "Prunksitzung" (pomp session). They are announced on signs, posters, or in advertisements in newspapers. The fifth season features parties, dances, funny speeches and parades. Visitors of public Fasching events are encouraged to dress up in costumes. If they are not in disguise, they have to pay a higher admission fee when entering events in community halls, culture centers, sports gyms and other facilities. Some organizations conduct "best costumes contests" and hand out prizes.

Customarily, women do not need a male escort when going to a Fasching dance. It's even up to them to ask the men for a dance — and the men better not say no.

A typical Fasching event is the "Prunksitzung," which literally translated means pomp session. Carnival associations usually sponsor and organize this event. Amateur comedians hold, in their local dialect, humorous speeches spiced with sarcasm about local happenings, people or politics in general. In between speeches, carnival club members sing and present dances. A committee consisting of a president and 11 counselors watch the session from their seats in the back of the stage.

Fastnacht has its origin in ancient times, when people realized that with the start of a new year,

spring would soon be on its way. To make it possible for spring to arrive, the demons of winter had to be chased away. Therefore, people dressed in evil-looking costumes and masks. They danced in the streets looking like devils, demons and witches and used noise-making devices, bells and drums to scare away the winter ghosts.

Through the centuries, the season developed into a Christian ritual. The literal translation of the word "Fastnacht" means "night of fasting." Today, it's the time of merriment and laughter preceding Lent, the 40-day period before Easter.

The word Karneval also refers to the fasting period. The Latin expression "carne vale" means "farewell, meat" and describes the time of celebrations before Lent when people have to renounce meat, opulent meals and festivities. The main days of the carnival season are Altweiberfasching (Old Women's Fasching) on Feb. 16, Rose Monday on Feb. 20 and Fat Tuesday on Feb. 21.

Rose Monday is known for its colorful parades with floats, musicians, dancers and walking groups. Ramstein-Miesenbach is known for hosting the biggest parade in the Westpfalz. This year's parade takes place Feb. 21.

The local carnival association Bruchkatze, which sponsors the parade, is still looking for American participants. Walking groups, bands and individuals dressed in funny costumes can take part. To register, call the 86th Airlift Wing Host Nation Office at 480-2094.



Spectators at a Fasching parade dress in traditional costumes.



# KMC MSgts recognized as 2011 Distinguished Young AFCEAN

by Capt. Thomas Hamlyn  
KMC AFCEA

**W**hat does it take to be recognized above your peers in an international organization of 35,000 members?

Ask Master Sgt. Douglas R. Brock, Enterprise Services flight chief for Detachment 4, 83rd Network Operations Squadron, on Ramstein.

The Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association selected Brock as an international 2011 Distinguished Young AFCEAN. And he had good company. Master Sgt. Todd D. Weingeroff, Knowledge Operations Base functional manager, 86th Communication Squadron, was also selected as a regional Distinguished Young AFCEAN. Both are members of the local KMC AFCEA chapter and earned their distinctions by contributing to the communications, information technology, intelligence and global security fields on and off duty.

These distinguished young AFCEANs accepted their awards in

San Diego at the AFCEA International conference Tuesday.

Weingeroff said he was looking forward to hearing retired Adm. Mike Mullen give his keynote as well as learning how the Navy put together the huge technology expo with hundreds of exhibitors.

With such knowledge, the KMC AFCEA is preparing itself for an even better series of events for 2012. Weingeroff said he believes each event is an opportunity to network with some of the most important people in the communications world.

"Whether it is the A1C sitting at detachment 4 or the commander of the Air Force's largest communications squadron, knowing people always makes life easier," he said.

Along with networking, Brock recommends that communications and electronic professionals share their knowledge through volunteering. He highlighted several opportunities in the KMC AFCEA chapter, such as Lunch & Learn leadership sessions and the science, technology, engineer



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Col. Mark Langenderfer, KMC Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association chapter president, recognizes Master Sgt. Todd Weingeroff and Master Sgt. Douglas Brock for their selection as Distinguished Young AFCEANs.

and math events they hold each year at the local high schools.

"Seek out opportunities that not only provide career broadening but also provide development opportunities," he said.

To learn more or to become an AFCEA member, check out [www.kmcafceas.org](http://www.kmcafceas.org)

or attend the monthly chapter meeting, typically held during lunch on the second Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be a breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Feb. 7 at the Ramstein Officers' Club, followed by the Winter Tech Expo from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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# Kingfish celebrate senior day, prepare for divisionals



by **Julio Quinones**

*Kaiserslautern Kingfish*

As with all sports, there comes a time when athletes go from budding prospect to rising star. It also marks a time when those stars transition from stardom and enter the next chapter in their life. No team in sports history has been exempt from the bittersweet feeling of seeing their star athletes transition away from their team. For the Kaiserslautern Kingfish swim team, that time has come.

Jan. 21 marked the final home meet for eight of its best swimmers. The team celebrated Senior Day to highlight the swimmers' contributions and the legacy they leave for the next generation. These seniors were recognized for their devotion to the team.

## CONNOR DAVIS

Connor Davis has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for eight years. He attends Ramstein High School and plans to go to the University of Maryland University College or Washington State University. Connor is a four-year varsity letterer in swimming and earned triple gold medals at long distance champs for his age group for the 2010 and 2011 swim seasons. He also won the 2011 year long RAC Swim Challenge for his age group. Connor is ranked in the top five among all EFSL competitors in the 50, 100, 200 and 400 meter freestyle, the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter individual medley. He is currently the No. 1 ranked 17 to 19 year old in five individual events: the 200m, 400m, 100m back stroke, 100m butterfly, and 200m IM.

## ANDY CUMMIN

Andy Cummin has served two years as team captain and has been swimming with the Kingfish for seven years. He attends Mother of Divine Grace

Homeschool and RHS. Andy plans on attending college after graduation. Andy is ranked in the top five among all EFSL competitors in the 50, 100, 200 and 400 meter freestyle, the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter breast stroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter IM.

## ANYA HOVANIC

Anya Hovanic has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for three years, attends RHS and plans to study physics after high school. Anya has also participated in other sports, such as track and softball. Anya is ranked in the top 10 of all 17 to 19 year girls among EFSL competitors in the 50, 100 and 200 meter freestyle. She is also in the top 10 in the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter individual medley (IM).

## MACY CABINESS

Macy Cabiness has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for two years. She attends RHS and hopes to enter the pre-med program at the University of Florida this fall. Macy is ranked top 10 in the 17 to 19 year girls in the EFSL for the 200m and 400m freestyle. She is also in the top 10 in the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter breast stroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter (IM).

## RACHEL GRIEP

Rachel Griep has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for one year. She attended Oakwood High School and now attends Kaiserslautern High School. She plans to study nursing at Northern Michigan University. Rachel has earned three varsity letters in track, two in swimming, one in volleyball and one in soccer. Rachel is ranked in the top 15 of all 17 to 19 year girls among EFSL competitors in the 50, 100, 200 and 400 meter freestyle. She is also in the top 15 in the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter breast stroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter individual medley (IM).

## JESSICA KAFER

Jessica Kafer has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for two years. She attended Radford High School and now attends Ramstein High School. She plans on going to either University of North Florida or Saint Louis University and major in athletic training or physical therapy. Jessica is a four-year varsity letterer in cross country, swim and track (European 1500 meter champion). Jessica is ranked in the top 15 of all 17 to 19 year girls among EFSL competitors in the 50, 100, 200 and 400 meter freestyle.

## RACHEL HAIR

Rachel Hair has been swimming for 11 years total — two years with the Kingfish. She attends RHS and plans to go to St. Louis University to study biology toward premed school. Jessica is ranked in the top 20 of all 17 to 19 year girls among EFSL competitors in the 50m, 100m, 200m freestyle and 100m back stroke.

## NATHAN VROEGINDEWEY

Nathan Vroegindewey has been on the Kingfish Swim Team for four years. He attended Christian Liberty Academy and now attends RHS. He is planning on joining the military after graduation. Nathan is ranked in the top 20 among all EFSL competitors in the 50, 100, 200 and 400 meter freestyle, the 100 meter backstroke, 100 meter breast stroke, 100 meter butterfly and the 200 meter IM.

These Kingfish seniors went out with a bang, helping keep the team undefeated for the 2011-2012 season. The Kingfish take their dominance into the Rhineland Divisional EFSL Championships Saturday at the Ramstein Aquatic Center, followed by the EFSL championships in Eindhoven, the Netherlands.

(For more information on these exceptional swimmers, check out [www.kaiserslauternamerican.com](http://www.kaiserslauternamerican.com).)



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## Soccer news

News about Kaiserslautern's soccer team 1. FCK is available in the official FCK magazine, "In Teufels Namen," in English at [www.fck.de/en/fans/fan-downloads/stadionmagazin-1112.html](http://www.fck.de/en/fans/fan-downloads/stadionmagazin-1112.html). The magazine is released prior to each home game of the Red Devils and includes four English pages to keep

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## Family Fitness

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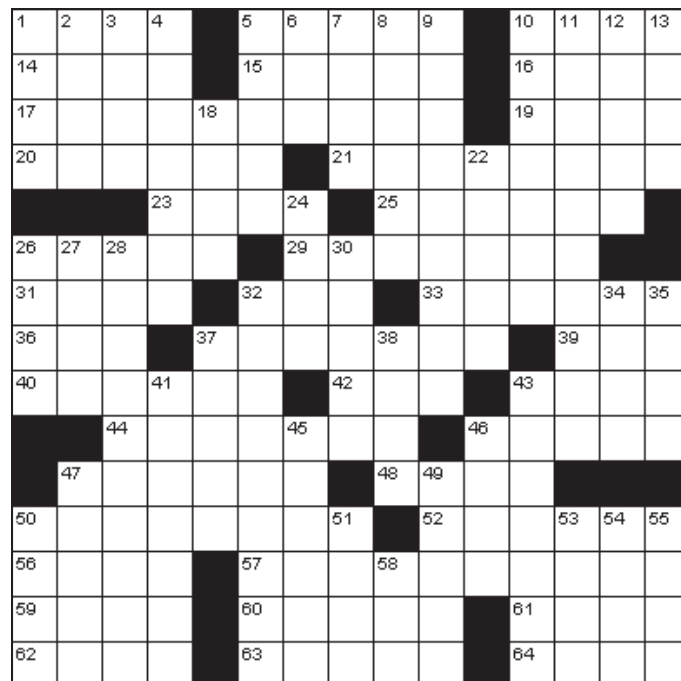
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SATURDAY -	<b>Jack &amp; Jill (PG)</b> 4 p.m. <b>Immortals (R)</b> 7 p.m.
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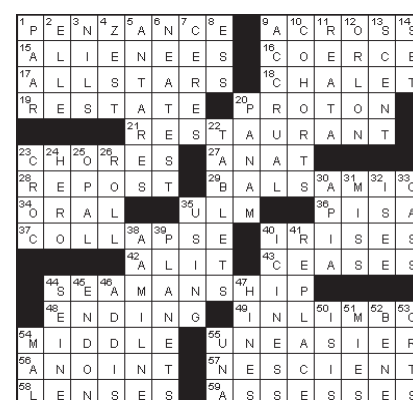
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- 1 Hardly rosy
- 5 Subsided
- 10 Analyze verse
- 14 Temporary superstar
- 15 Pack animal
- 16 Western wolf
- 17 Ditching
- 19 One for Caesar
- 20 Entered
- 21 Belgian surrealist
- 23 Ballads
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- 26 Stabs
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- 31 Prized possessions
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- 37 Enchanting
- 39 Ex of Mickey, Artie and Frank
- 40 Overly ornate
- 42 Pursue
- 43 Catch
- 44 Bad mark
- 46 Library catalogue heading
- 47 Acute
- 48 Appear
- 50 Harsh-sounding
- 52 Send again
- 56 Caspian Sea feeder
- 57 Wind gauge
- 59 Game ending
- 60 Ate well
- 61 '50s South Korean president
- 62 Expected, as payment
- 63 "Fiddler on the Roof" matchmaker
- 64 Big name in electronics

- 5 Dark wood
- 6 Bakery buy
- 7 Hat feature
- 8 Verdi opera
- 9 Leftovers container
- 10 Floodgates
- 11 Competitor
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- 27 Tangible
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- 41 Vituperated
- 43 Smiles affectedly
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- 46 Abound
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- 51 Dollywood locale: Abbr.
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- 1 Be an eager beaver
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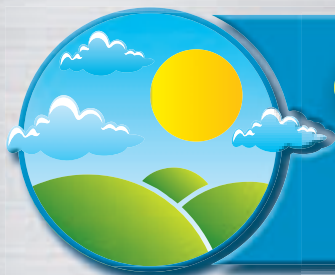
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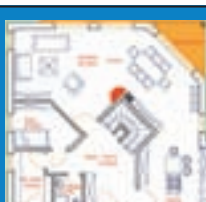
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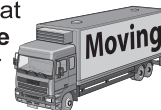
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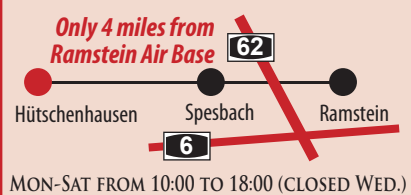
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